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Viewing cable 08RIGA478, TFGG01: MFA STATE SECRETARY UNUSUALLY BLUNT IN

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Understanding cables

Every cable message consists of three parts:

- The top box shows each cable's unique reference number, when and by whom it originally was sent, and what its initial classification was.
- The middle box contains the header information that is associated with the cable. It includes information about the receiver(s) as well as a general subject.
- The bottom box presents the body of the cable. The opening can contain a more specific subject, references to other cables ([browse by origin](#) to find them) or additional comment. This is followed by the main contents of the cable: a summary, a collection of specific topics and a comment section.

To understand the justification used for the classification of each cable, please use this [WikiSource](#) article as reference.

Discussing cables

If you find meaningful or important information in a cable, please link directly to its unique reference number. Linking to a specific paragraph in the body of a cable is also possible by copying the appropriate link (to be found at the paragraph symbol). Please mark messages for social networking services like Twitter with the hash tags **#cablegate** and a hash containing the reference ID e.g.

#08RIGA478.

Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
08RIGA478	2008-08-12 13:51	2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy Riga

Appears in these articles:

http://rusrep.ru/article/2010/11/29/wikileaks_docs_02/

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C O N F I D E N T I A L RIGA 000478

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SUBJECT: TFGG01: MFA STATE SECRETARY UNUSUALLY BLUNT IN
CRITICISM OF RUSSIA

REF: RIGA 472

Classified By: Ambass...

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